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PETITION UNDER 37 CFR 1.78(a)(3)

Commissioner for Patents
Washington, District of Columbia 20231

The Applicant hereby petitions to accept an unintentionally delayed claim under 35 U.S.C. 120 for the benefit of a prior-filed application, in accordance with 37 C.F.R. 1.78(a)(3).

- With respect to 37 C.F.R. 1.78(a)(3)(i), the reference required by 35 U.S.C. 120 and 37 C.F.R. 1.78(a)(2)(i) is being concurrently filed herewith. This reference is contained in amended page 1 of the specification.
- With respect to 37 CFR 1.78(a)(3)(ii), the surcharge set forth in 37 C.F.R. 1.17(t) is enclosed.
- With respect to 37 C.F.R. 1.78(a)(3)(iii), it is submitted that the entire delay between the date the claim was due under 37 C.F.R. 1.78(a)(2)(ii) and the date the claim is being filed concurrently herewith was unintentional.

It is hereby submitted that this petition is timely filed and meets the priority claim referred to by the Examiner in the Office Action dated January 22, 2008.

Yours faithfully,



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